



Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
**Petition for Admission to the Bar**  
**COVER SHEET**  
**Reapplication**

**Supreme Judicial Court for Suffolk County**  
John Adams Courthouse  
One Pemberton Square, Suite 1300  
Boston, MA 02108-1707

***Complete and File with your Bar Application. Responses are MANDATORY.***

Full Name:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name First Name Middle or Initial

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address City State Zip Code

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Day) Telephone (Evening) Telephone E-Mail Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Social Security No. (Not available to the public) Date of Birth (##/##/####) Place of Birth: (City, State, Country)

\_\_\_\_\_  
When did you last apply for the Massachusetts Bar Exam? (Mo./Yr.) When did you take the MPRE? (Mo./Yr.)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Where are you sitting for the Multistate Bar Examination? Are you an attorney in another jurisdiction(s)? If yes, provide the jurisdiction(s).

You **MUST** indicate **(X)** the requisite documents you are filing with this **mandatory** Cover Sheet.  
(Documents are **NOT ACCEPTED** separately. All documents **MUST** be filed together.)

\_\_\_\_\_ **PETITION FOR ADMISSION** (Form 1) requiring your **original** signature and an **original** signature of a recommending attorney.

\_\_\_\_\_ **APPLICANT'S STATEMENT** (Form 2) requiring your **original** signature.

\_\_\_\_\_ **AUTHORIZATION FORM** (Form 3) requiring your **original** signature.

\_\_\_\_\_ **MPRE SCORE REPORT** (official or unofficial). If your MPRE Score Report was previously filed, you do **NOT** need to re-file it. Be advised, if this office does **NOT** have your MPRE on file, your application will be returned to you for failure to comply with the filing requirements.

\_\_\_\_\_ **CERTIFICATE OF ADMISSION AND GOOD STANDING**, if applicable, from each jurisdiction you are admitted.

\_\_\_\_\_ **MONEY ORDER or BANK CHECK** (NO Personal Checks) payable to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in the amount of \$815.00. Filing fees are non-refundable and non-transferable.

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Commonwealth of Massachusetts*  
**Supreme Judicial Court for Suffolk County**

**REAPPLICATION**  
**INFORMATION FOR THE JULY 2006 MASSACHUSETTS BAR EXAMINATION**

**Eligibility:** [Supreme Judicial Court Rule 3:01, §3](#), establishes eligibility. See Massachusetts Rules of Court.

**Filing Instructions:** Complete Application must be filed by **May 12, 2006 deadline** at:

**Supreme Judicial Court for Suffolk County**  
**Clerk Maura S. Doyle's Office**  
**One Pemberton Square**  
**John Adams Courthouse, Suite 1300**  
**Boston, MA 02108-1707**

**Any delivery method is acceptable** provided the application is received (not postmarked) by the May 12, 2006 deadline. See the following page for Filing Requirements.

**Filing Deadline:** **May 12, 2006**

**Notification:** Those applicants found eligible to sit will receive site, seating and other pertinent information from the Board of Bar Examiners approximately 2-3 weeks prior to the examination. **THERE IS NO ADMISSION TICKET.**

**Time and Place:** Wednesday and Thursday, July 26 and 27, 2006, at the World Trade Center, Seaport Boulevard, Boston, MA 02210, 617-385-4000. Public transportation and parking is available. For lodging, call the Office of Travel & Tourism: 1-800-447-MASS or [www.massvacation.com](http://www.massvacation.com).

**Alternate Site:** The exam will also be held at Western New England College School of Law in Springfield, MA.

- To sit in Springfield, you must submit the [Springfield Seating Request Form](#) (available online and at the office of the Board of Bar Examiners) to the Board of Bar Examiners (**do not submit with your bar application**).
- Further, to be eligible to sit in Springfield, applicants must file a timely application (*on or before May 12, 2006*) at the Clerk's Office. Application must be complete at the time of filing to be considered.
- All applicants will sit in Boston, unless the Board of Bar Examiners allows the request for the Alternate Site.
- Seating is limited and based on a first come, first served basis – forms may be mailed prior to filing an application at the Clerk's Office.
- The Springfield form must be submitted to the **Board of Bar Examiners** by the **May 12, 2006 deadline** at:

**Board of Bar Examiners**  
**Suffolk County Courthouse**  
**3 Pemberton Square - Room 707**  
**Boston, MA 02108**

**Non-Standard Testing:**

- If you have a disability that will require non-standard testing accommodations on the bar examination, you must complete and file the [Testing Accommodations Petition](#) forms available at the Board's office or on the Board's web site: [www.mass.gov/bbe](http://www.mass.gov/bbe).
- Both the applicant and professionals must complete these forms to provide the Board with details and documentation relating to the disability.
- The Testing Accommodations Petition shall be returned to the Board no later than 75 days prior to the date of examination (**May 12, 2006**).
- If the Board of Bar Examiners previously granted testing accommodations for the Massachusetts Bar Examination (including typing) to you within the past three years and you are asking for the same accommodations, you must send a letter requesting the same accommodations as previously granted to the Board of Bar Examiners, Suffolk County Courthouse, 3 Pemberton Square – Room 707, Boston, MA 02108 by **May 12, 2006**.
- If you are requesting additional accommodations, a new Testing Accommodations Petition form must be filed with the Board.
- **DO NOT SUBMIT YOUR TESTING ACCOMMODATIONS PETITION TO THE COURT.**

*Commonwealth of Massachusetts*  
**BAR EXAMINATION APPLICATION FILING REQUIREMENTS**

**Below you will find the list of required materials mandated for filing the Reapplication. Any application that does not include these requisite materials is incomplete and unacceptable for filing.**

**Complete Application:**

- **Petition Cover Sheet**
- **Form 1:** Petition to the Court requiring your original signature and an original signature by the recommending attorney (pgs 1-2).
- **Form 2:** Applicant's statement to the Board of Bar Examiners (pgs 3-6) requiring your original signature.
- **Form 3:** Authorization Form requiring your original signature (pg 7).
- **Form 4:** Law School Certificate completed by your graduating law school **if you have not previously submitted a law school certificate.**
- **Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination (MPRE) Score Report:**  
Showing a scaled score of 85 or greater. The Score Report (an official or unofficial Report is acceptable) **must be attached.** The MPRE is administered by the National Conference of Bar Examiners and is given three times per year, in March, August, and November. For an application, call (319) 341-2500; for a copy of your Score Report, call (319) 337-1304; or visit the National Conference of Bar Examiners' web site at: [www.ncbex.org](http://www.ncbex.org) (link to MPRE)
- **Certificate(s) of Admission and Good Standing (if applicable)**
- **Payment:** \$815.00 money order or certified bank check made payable to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. **No personal checks. All filing fees are non-refundable and non-transferable.**

**CHECK LIST:**

Before filing your complete application by the **May 12, 2006 deadline** at the address below, check the following:

**BE CERTAIN THAT YOU HAVE:**

- Fully answered each and every question, including dates when asked.
- Responded with a written "yes" or "no" answer to each question calling for a "yes" or "no" answer.
- Attached rider pages for applicable questions and included your name on those rider page(s).
- Signed all pages requiring your signature.
- If applicable, mailed the [Testing Accommodations Petition](#) separately to the Board of Bar Examiners.
- If applicable, mailed the Springfield Form to the [Board of Bar Examiners](#) and have **not** attached it to your bar application.
- **ENCLOSED ALL OF THE NECESSARY DOCUMENTS AS LISTED ABOVE.**

**File the complete application by the May 12, 2006 deadline at:**

Supreme Judicial Court for Suffolk County  
Clerk Maura S. Doyle's Office  
One Pemberton Square  
John Adams Courthouse – Suite 1300  
Boston, MA 02108-1707

**Incomplete applications will not be accepted for filing and will be returned.**

*Commonwealth of Massachusetts*

**Board of Bar Examiners**

**INFORMATION ABOUT THE MASSACHUSETTS BAR EXAMINATION**

**\*\*\*Keep This Information for Future Reference\*\*\***

**SUBJECTS TESTED UNDER RULE 3:01, SECTION 3**

Applicants will be expected to be familiar with the law in the following fields:

<b>Agency</b>	<b>Federal Rules of Civil Procedure</b>
<b>Business Organizations</b>	<b>Mass. Rules of Civil Procedure</b>
<b>Constitutional Law</b>	<b>Professional Responsibility</b>
<b>Contracts</b>	<b>Real Property (incl. Mortgages)</b>
<b>Criminal Law</b>	<b>Torts</b>
<b>Descent &amp; Distribution of Estates</b>	<b>Trusts</b>
<b>Domestic Relations</b>	<b>Unfair or Deceptive Practices (G.L.c. 93A)</b>
<b>Evidence (including Federal Rules)</b>	<b>Uniform Commercial Code (Articles 1-9)</b>
<b>Federal Jurisdiction</b>	<b>Wills</b>

**MBE**

**On Wednesday, July 26, 2006, (8:30 a.m. – {approx.} 4:30 p.m.), the examination will consist of the Multistate Bar Examination (MBE).** The applicant will be furnished printed statements of facts, consisting of 200 questions, composed by a committee chosen by the National Conference of Bar Examiners. To each question, four alternative answers, prepared by the same committee, will be furnished. The applicant will be asked to choose the “best” answer. Scores will be based on the number of questions answered correctly. The total possible raw score on the examination is two hundred.

The Multistate Bar Examination will cover the fields of Constitutional Law, Contracts, Criminal Law, Evidence, Real Property and Torts, but these will not be grouped or identified by subject matter.

**The National Conference of Bar Examiners (NCBE) has published an MBE information booklet which is available on their web site: [www.ncbex.org](http://www.ncbex.org). Study aids containing sample MBE questions may be ordered through this booklet.**

If you plan to sit **concurrently** and your MBE state is Massachusetts, you must complete the form that will arrive with your seating assignment authorizing Massachusetts to transfer your score. **The cost to transfer your MBE score is \$25.00 (bank check or money order made payable to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts – no personal checks accepted).** If you plan to sit concurrently and your MBE state is NOT Massachusetts, it is your responsibility to make arrangements with your MBE state to have your MBE score transferred to Massachusetts. Failure to do so may result in a delay in receipt of your scores and/or a delay in your admission.

**ESSAY**

**On Thursday, July 27, 2006, (8:30 a.m. – {approx.} 4:30 p.m.), the essay portion of the examination will consist of ten (10) questions based on statements of facts, each calling for an "essay" type answer.** The statements will be based on some or all of the fields of law set forth in the section entitled “Subjects Tested Under Rule 3:01, section 3.”

**\*\*RETAIN FOR FUTURE REFERENCE\*\***

CIVIL NO.

SUFFOLK, SS.

IN THE MATTER OF

.....  
**(Type or Legibly Print Name)**

PETITION

FOR ADMISSION TO THE BAR  
OF THE COMMONWEALTH

**(REAPPLICATION)**

**FORM 1**

Petition filed .....  
**(Court Use Only)**

**PETITION FOR ADMISSION TO THE BAR OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby petition for admission to the bar of the  
Type or Legibly Print Full Name

Commonwealth. I represent that I am of good moral character and over the age of eighteen years, having been born on \_\_\_\_\_ . I request that I be examined for admission as an attorney and, if found qualified, be admitted as such.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Email address (if applicable)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**RECOMMENDATION OF A MEMBER OF THE BAR OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
OR OF ANY STATE, DISTRICT OR TERRITORY OF THE UNITED STATES**

(Supreme Judicial Court Rule 3:01, subsection 1.2)

I, \_\_\_\_\_, an attorney of the bar of \_\_\_\_\_,  
Type or Legibly Print Full Name

respectfully recommend that the foregoing petition be granted, and certify that the petitioner is of good moral character.

Attorney's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Attorney's State Registration No.: \_\_\_\_\_

In the matter of \_\_\_\_\_

(Applicant for admission as an attorney at law)

By examination to be held \_\_\_\_\_

(Date)

**APPLICANT'S SUPPLEMENTARY STATEMENT TO THE BOARD OF BAR EXAMINERS  
(REAPPLICATION)****1. TYPE (no less than 12 point font) OR PRINT LEGIBLY USING ONLY BLACK INK**

(a) Full Name:

First \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name or Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Last \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone No. \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Place of birth \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_  
City and State (MM/DD/YY)

(d) Have you ever taken the Massachusetts Examination using a different name? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

If yes, state all names, places and times: \_\_\_\_\_

2. When did you last SIT for the Massachusetts Bar Examination? \_\_\_\_\_

3. When did you last submit any form of application to the Massachusetts Bar? \_\_\_\_\_  
(NOTE: THIS INCLUDES ANY EXAMINATION FROM WHICH YOU WERE ABSENT)4. Are you taking the Multistate Bar Examination in a different jurisdiction in connection with a second  
(concurrent) application? \_\_\_\_\_  
YES NOIf **YES**, print the name of the jurisdiction where you will sit for the MULTISTATE BAR EXAMINATION.

JURISDICTION:

**You must sit in the jurisdiction which you indicate.** If your answer to #4 is any jurisdiction other than Massachusetts, you will be seated for one (1) day only (Thursday), for the essay portion of the examination. CAVEAT: **NO CHANGE** IN THE CHOSEN MBE JURISDICTION WILL BE PERMITTED AFTER FILING THIS APPLICATION IN THE SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT, CLERK'S OFFICE FOR SUFFOLK COUNTY. SEATING ASSIGNMENTS WILL BE MADE ONLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICANT'S ANSWER TO #4. If you are sitting concurrently, but taking the MBE in a jurisdiction other than Massachusetts, it is YOUR RESPONSIBILITY to have the jurisdiction in which you are taking the MBE transfer your score to Massachusetts.

Form 2 Continued

5. Law School(s) attended: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name Address  
Dates of Attendance: From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_ Degree Awarded \_\_\_\_\_

6. Current Employer and Position Held:

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Name of Employer and Position Held (DO NOT ABBREVIATE)**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Address (INCLUDE city, state, zip code, and telephone number.)**

7. Name jurisdictions and courts other than Massachusetts in which you have **applied** (this should include application for reinstatement and any applications subsequently withdrawn) or been admitted to practice law. Give dates of application and admission to practice (if applicable), or **disposition (do not leave blank or answer "n/a")**. **Attach a certificate (dated within 90 days of this application) evidencing your admission and good standing from each state to which you are admitted to practice law.**

(a) Date of Application	(b) Jurisdiction (include Court)	(c) Date of Admission/ <b>Disposition</b> (i.e. failed, withdrew, etc.)
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**(You must respond to all questions by writing "yes" or "no" in the space provided. "N/A" is not an acceptable answer.)**

8. Have you ever been reprimanded, sanctioned, disciplined, suspended or expelled from a college, university or law school? \_\_\_\_\_. If yes, state the facts fully, including date(s).

9. (a) Have you ever been disbarred, suspended, reprimanded, censured, admonished or otherwise disciplined or disqualified as an attorney, or as a member of any other profession, or as a holder of any public office?

\_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, state the dates, the details and the name and address of the authority in possession of the record thereof.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

(b) Have any charges or complaints been made concerning your conduct as an attorney, or as a member of any profession, or as a holder of any public office? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, state the dates, the details and the name and address of the authority in possession of the record thereof.  
(Attach rider pages if necessary.)

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Name (Type or Print Clearly): \_\_\_\_\_



Form 2 Continued

**(You must respond to all questions by writing "yes" or "no" in the space provided. "N/A" is not an acceptable answer.)**

10. (a) Are there any unsatisfied judgments or court orders of continuing effect against you?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (b) If yes, state the facts fully below, giving names and addresses of creditors, amounts, dates, and the nature of debts, judgments or court orders, and the reason for nonpayment of unsatisfied judgments or any non-compliance with court orders (**attach additional pages if necessary**).  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
11. (a) Have you ever been charged with or been a subject of any investigation for a felony or misdemeanor other than a minor traffic charge? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, state the dates, courts, details and results.
- (b) Have you ever been a party on either side in a civil action or proceeding involving a claim of fraud, conversion, breach of fiduciary duty, professional malpractice or other wrongful conduct? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, please explain and include dates.
- (c) Have you been a party in any other legal or administrative proceedings? \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, please explain and include dates.
- (d) Have you ever been adjudged bankrupt or insolvent? \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, please explain and include dates.

**GIVE FULL DETAILS** for affirmative responses to Questions 11 (a), (b), (c), and (d) including dates, exact name and location of court, if any, case numbers, references to the court records, if any, the facts, the disposition of the matter; if no court records are available, give to the best of your ability the names and addresses of all persons involved, including counsel. **YOU MUST PROVIDE DETAILS EVEN IF YOU HAVE DONE SO IN A PRIOR APPLICATION.** Attach additional pages if necessary.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Name (Type or Print Clearly)

**Form 2 Continued**

12. When did you sit for the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination (MPRE)?

\_\_\_\_\_  
**MONTH AND YEAR**

13. Provide your MPRE score below **(and attach a photocopy of your MPRE Score Report):**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Scaled Score**

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I agree to inform the Supreme Judicial Court Clerk's Office for Suffolk County, in writing, of any changes or additions to answers that I have made on this application. I understand that this obligation shall continue until I am admitted to the practice of law in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, or until such time as my application is withdrawn or denied by the Supreme Judicial Court.

**CERTIFICATE**

I, the applicant, certify that each of the foregoing answers is true, complete and candid and that I have not altered the wording of any question.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_  
(day) (month) (year)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Name (Type or Print Clearly)

*Commonwealth of Massachusetts*  
*Board of Bar Examiners*

**FORM 3 - AUTHORIZATION**

I, *(name)* \_\_\_\_\_,  
residing at *(address, city, state, zip code)* \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ and  
born on *(date of birth)* \_\_\_\_\_, having filed an application for admission to the bar  
of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, hereby consent to have an investigation made as to my moral  
character, professional reputation, and fitness for the practice of law.

I hereby authorize every person, firm, company, corporation, governmental agency, law enforcement  
agency, court, bar association, or institution having control of any documents or records regarding charges or  
complaints filed against me, including any complaints expunged by law, whether formal or informal, pending  
or closed, or any other pertinent data to provide them to the Massachusetts Board of Bar Examiners.

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**Signature of Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dated:** \_\_\_\_\_